

REMARKS

Claims 1-15 and 17-26 are pending in this application for reissue. Claims 1-14 stand allowed. Claims 1, 4-6, 8, 9 and 14 of the original patent were previously amended. Claims 2, 3, 7 and 10-13 of the original patent remain unchanged. Claims 15, 17 and 26, all introduced with the application for reissue, are amended herein. Claim 25, also introduced with the application for reissue, was previously amended. Claims 18-24, introduced with the application for reissue, remain unchanged. Claim 16, introduced with the application for reissue, is cancelled, without prejudice. Claim 27, added by amendment in the an earlier response, was cancelled, without prejudice. No new matter is introduced.

In the present Action, claims 16 and 17 are objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but the Examiner indicates that these claims would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. Claims 15 and 18-24 stand rejected over the prior art.

In response, the base claim (claim 15) has been amended to include all of the limitations of claim 16. In particular, claim 15 is amended at line 6 to recite that “[the computer system in a desk module comprises] a desk top mounted for angular adjustment relative to said desk body and defining a writing surface, said writing surface defining a transparent region...” Claim 16 has been cancelled, and claims 17 and 26, which previously depended from claim 16, are amended to depend from claim 15.

On this basis, we submit that independent claim 15, as now amended, and claims 17-26 dependent therefrom, are all in condition for allowance over the cited prior art.

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Applicant submits that this application for reissue is now in condition for allowance.

Early favorable action is solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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